

MEREDITH GIVES VIEWS ON INTERCOLLEGIATE TRACK MEET—OTHER LIVE NEWS OF SPORTS

NEW YORK BROKE 41-YEAR RECORD BY WINNING EVERY GAME IN WESTERN INVASION

McGraw's Team First in History of National League to Turn Trick, Washington Having Accomplished Feat in American in 1912

By CHANDLER D. RICHTER

WHEN the New York Giants won the last game of the Western trip from the Cincinnati Reds yesterday, McGraw's team broke a National League record by winning every game played in the West. In the 41-year history of the National League no Eastern team has been able to win every contest played in the West, nor has a Western team been able to make a clean sweep of four series in the East. The Giants by winning yesterday, completed a string of 13 consecutive victories, all of which were won in the West.

Four games were won in Pittsburgh, two in Chicago, four in St. Louis and three in Cincinnati. When one considers that the Giants had lost 13 out of the first 15 games played at home and in other Eastern cities, the record is all the more remarkable. This feat has been accomplished only once in the American League, Washington turning the trick in 1912, when it won 16 consecutive games against Western teams to the West, while the nearest any other National League team has come to the feat was the Giants' 10 victories out of 11 games, in 1905, and the Phillies' string of 11 straight and 11 out of 12, in 1906.

Washington's sensational streak was not unlike the one which the Giants, the Senators had been trailing along at the end of the American League standing when they suddenly struck their stride. The Washington stringing of 13 straight was to an end in this city, when, with Hugh Hughes holding a 1 to 0 lead over Eddie Plank and two men retired in the sixth inning, Frank Baker, who had been in the right field fence, the Mackmen won out on the 10th inning, and also took the second game, a double-header having been scheduled, and made it four out of five in the series.

In 1906, when the White Sox compiled their American League record of 19 consecutive victories, they won 13 straight at home, and took the first eight in the East, finally falling before the Red Sox, when Manager Mack had the Boston Babe Wadsworth primed to break the streak the following day.

Giants Lead in Records The Giants always have been a great club for consecutive winning streaks, having passed an even dozen five times in 41 years, the feat having been accomplished only 13 times in the history of the league. The majority of the winning streaks of the Giants have been staged late in the season, and three of them were responsible for the winning of the pennant. McGraw's team is still seven games behind the major league record of 20, made by Providence in 1884, and as the Giants go ahead in the history of the league, the Boston and the Phillies in Boston out in this city, there appears to be little chance for McGraw's team to equal that long-standing record.

The Phillies' record in Brooklyn are the leading teams of the league, and have been playing splendid ball. If the Dodgers should be able to stop the Giants, Manager Moran would be able to play their next six games at home, and the Phillies in Boston out in this city, there appears to be little chance for McGraw's team to equal that long-standing record.

The record for consecutive victories made by a team in an organized league is held by the Corsicans team, of the Texas League.

MRS. BARLOW DEFEATED IN TITLE GOLF TOURNEY

Mrs. Munson, Club Member, Beats Champion, 3 and 2, in Semifinals

WHITEMARSH, Pa., May 25.—Mrs. Rosalind H. Barlow, Philadelphia champion, was eliminated in the championship tourney now in progress at the Whitemarsh Country Club, when Mrs. George S. Munson of Merion, a clubmate, defeated her opponent in the semifinal round, 3 up and 2 to play.

In the other match in the semifinals Miss Mildred Caverly, Philadelphia Cricket Club, defeated Miss Ethel Campbell, of the same club, 3 up and 2 to play.

Mrs. Munson and Miss Caverly will meet in the final round for the title tomorrow.

PENNA. STATE LEAGUE IN DISTRESS; READING QUILTS Manager Ramsey and Three Players Join Atlantic Circuit

READING, Pa., May 25.—The Reading club of the Pennsylvania State League, suspended here today without playing a scheduled double because of the resignation of Manager Ramsey and three of his players, joined the Reading Atlantic League.

The local State League club, which is in financial straits ever since the opening of the season, but there were hopes of weathering the storm until Memorial Day.

DAVIS REACHES THIRD ROUND OF SLEEPY HOLLOW TOURNEY California Tennis Star Defeats Bull in Hotly Contested Match, 8-6, 6-3

NEW YORK, May 25.—Willis Davis, California tennis champion and holder of the Philadelphia indoor title, who is making his Metropolitan debut, defeated the local champion, Harry Davis, in a hotly contested match, 8-6, 6-3.

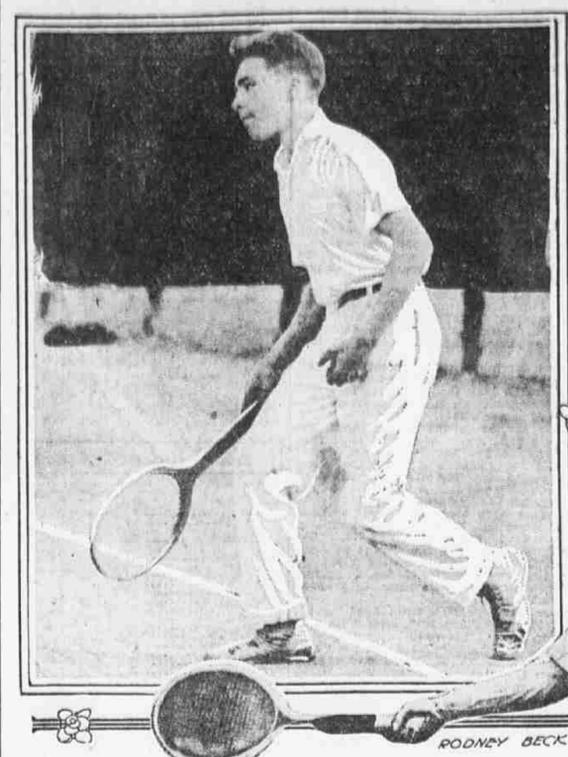
Lamb Beats Germantown Germantown Academy defeated their tennis team in a match played at the Germantown Athletic Club yesterday. The match was won by the Germantown team, 3-2.

Longwood Tennis Stars Trim Harvard CAMBRIDGE, Mass., May 25.—The Harvard tennis team was defeated by the Longwood team in a match played at the Longwood Athletic Club yesterday. The match was won by the Longwood team, 3-2.

Lafayette Beats Swarthmore LAFAYETTE, Pa., May 25.—The Lafayette College tennis team defeated the Swarthmore team in a match played at the Lafayette College tennis courts yesterday. The match was won by the Lafayette team, 3-2.

Northeast Cricketers Win Northeast High School Cricketers defeated the Philadelphia Cricket Club yesterday by a margin of 10 runs. The score was 45 to 35.

WHICH ONE HAS THE PUNCH?



RODNEY BECK

These two boys are Edward Cascard, Episcopal Academy, junior tennis champion of Philadelphia, and Rodney Beck, of Germantown Academy, whose remarkable record this year marks him as a coming star. They have met twice before this year and each won a match.



E. CASCARD

MEREDITH LOOKS FOR ANOTHER NEW HALF-MILE MARK

Ted Thinks Winner of Collegiate 880 Must Do Better Than 1:52 1-5

By TED MEREDITH

Pennsylvania's track team left this morning for Boston and the men will stay at the Hotel Lenox during the intercollegiate on Friday and Saturday. The Penn team is made up of 18 athletes, which is the least number the Red and Blue has sent to this meet in many years.

We are going with the hope of finishing third and expect to total at least 20 points. How we will get these points it is hard to tell, but with the luck breaking even with the other teams, we should not get less than this number.

Kaufman will be our only representative in the 100-yard dash, and with Tommy Lennon also will run the 220 yards race. It is in this event that he stands the most chance. Kaufman is not a poor prospect in the 100-yard dash, for he has been going good all year over the country. When he tied with Van Winkle, of Cornell, in 10 flat he was running in good shape and has become much steadier off his mark since then.

Lawson Robertson expects Lennon to do something in the 220. He has seen Lennon run for the past four years around New York and says he is capable of doing 22 seconds if in good shape, and did better than that two years ago in the Metropolitan Championships when he ran a dead heat with Alvin Meyer in 21.45 seconds.

Scudder Should Placate Out of these men we can only feel sure of a few placings, but the whole bunch have a chance according to their past performance. Scudder should placate in the 150-yard dash as he has been running well all year. His trouble is in his inexperience, and if he runs himself all out and uses good judgment, he should run under 1.58 and this will place. He is a strong fellow who does not know his own ability and the only way for him to get to be a good dependable runner is by a lot of competition. Dorsey ran under 1.56 in the Cornell-Penn dual race and should be better now than at that time.

Colton surely will be well up in the two-mile race. He has improved about 20 seconds this year and I figure him to finish third. Should the high jump be a little off form, I think Crane and Thibault will step in and help divide the points for the last two places.

Bertolet is one of our best possibilities of the men dark horses. He has been going well all year, and with the new form Robertson has given him I believe he will be in the scoring. He has beaten Wardell, of Dartmouth, and Culbertson, of Cornell, this year, and both of these men have scored in previous years.

Mathews, in the hammer, should place this year. He has been improving steadily and now is throwing it 145 feet in practice. The fact that he always improves his throws from two to five feet in competition makes me believe to can expect something from him on Saturday.

Dorizas Dependable Dorizas is another good man in competition and can be depended upon to do better when the excitement of competition comes along. Here is a place we have not counted, and should he come through our stock will go up considerably.

Newatetter surely will place in the pole vault. I have picked him for second, but have a feeling that he will catch his form perfectly, and either tie Fox or beat him. Newatetter never has been as good as he was at the relays in 1915, when he tied with Fox at 12 feet 10 inches, but he has been working hard for this meet with one object in view, and that is to beat his Cornell rival, and I would not be a bit surprised should he do this. Sewell is a possible point for us; he has been going better this year than last and should do 12 feet, judging from his vaulting of the last two weeks.

All the men are in good shape and will stand up under the competition as well as any of the teams, I feel sure. It always has been true of a Pennsylvania track team that it goes better in the intercollegiate than in the State meet. We fell down in the last two years on this, due to accidents to our sprinters, but I think you will find this year's bunch up to the mark as competitors, which was set by Mike Murphy's pupils of a few years ago.

I am in as good shape as I could hope to be. I hope to win both the quarter and half. I think the fields in both events are much better this year than ever before.

JUNIOR LEAGUE TEAMS TO MEET IN FINAL MATCH

Penn Charter Youngsters and Germantown Academy in Final Match Today

By WILLIAM T. TILDEN, 2d

Today will see the climax of the closest race any tennis league ever has seen in this city. In the Junior Interacademic League, organized this season and playing a schedule corresponding to the Interacademic League itself, Germantown Academy and Penn Charter are tied, with only the last meeting of these two schools yet to be played.

The Junior Interacademic League has met with the approval of the whole tennis world of Philadelphia. It was indorsed at the last meeting of the Philadelphia and District Lawn Tennis Association. This body, which is boosting junior tennis around the city in every possible way, considers the league as a most important step in the right direction of opening competitive play to young boys.

Episcopal, Penn Charter and Germantown deserve praise for their work, but it is to 'Friends' Central that the greatest credit should go. This school, with its unflinching good sportsmanship, has played all its matches and laid a foundation for its next year's team that should result in putting this school very near the top at the close of 1917 season.

The boys show prospects of developing quickly and, with the volley board in the gymnasium next winter and under the coaching of Professor Moore and Mr. Ross, of Episcopal, and Messrs. Wilson and Kolb, of Germantown, these boys all have played good tennis and consistently showed development.

The individual stars of the league this season are Penneck, Myers and Sherrard, of Penn Charter; Harper, Wilson and Kolb, of Episcopal; and Beard, Smith, Beck and Jellett of Germantown. These boys all have played good tennis and consistently showed development.

WHAT MAY HAPPEN IN BASEBALL TODAY

Table with columns: Club, Won, Lost, Pct., Win, Loss. Includes American League and National League teams.

TODAY'S SCHEDULE

AMERICAN LEAGUE: St. Louis vs. New York—clear; Detroit at Boston—cloudy; Chicago at Philadelphia—clear.

NATIONAL LEAGUE: Brooklyn at Pittsburgh—cloudy; Chicago at Cincinnati—clear. Only games today.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE: Providence at Toronto—cloudy; Baltimore at Buffalo—clear. Only games today.

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

AMERICAN LEAGUE: Cleveland, 5; Athletics, 4; New York, 10; St. Louis, 1; Chicago, 4; Washington, 1; Boston, 4; Detroit, 1.

NATIONAL LEAGUE: Phillies, 6; Chicago, 5; Brooklyn, 5; Pittsburgh, 3 (10 innings); St. Louis, 5; Boston, 4.

TENNIS UPSET MARKS

DOUBLES AT MERION Misses Ogden and Lillie Defeat Misses Reath and Kennedy in Three Sets

Several exciting matches were played yesterday in the annual tournament for the tennis championship of the Merion Cricket Club in women's singles and doubles and mixed doubles. In the first round of the doubles Miss Katherine Ogden and Miss Theodora Lillie furnished an upset by winning a hard three-set match from Miss Elsa Reath and Miss Emily Kennedy, 8-6, 3-6, 6-3.

Another interesting match in doubles was staged between Miss Marion Tomlin and Miss E. C. Hensel and Miss Sarah Neilson and Miss Agnes Kennedy, the former team earning the honors, 8-6, 7-5. In the second round Mrs. Valentine Bieg, daughter of Mrs. R. H. Barlow, the Philadelphia golf champion, partnered by Miss Evelyn Runk, defeated Miss Jacqueline Green and Miss Frances Crawford, 9-7, 3-6, 6-1.

RUNS SCORED BY MAJORS FOR WEEK

Table showing runs scored by all teams of American and National Leagues from Thursday, May 18, to Wednesday, May 24, 1916. Lists teams like Athletics, Boston, Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit, New York, St. Louis, Washington.

ARONIMINK TEAM ELIGIBLE TO PLAY FOR PHILA. CUP

Takes Second in Qualifying Round at Bala and Will Compete in Tourney

REYNOLDS LEADS TEAM

Aronimink finally has broken into the "400" of golf experts and today is rejoicing over the fact that a team of 10 men from the club will have a chance at the team interclub championships in July, when play will be for the Philadelphia cup. Five of the best golf teams in the city yesterday competed in the qualification round at the Country Club, Bala, when the four teams with the seven lowest aggregate scores for 36 holes became eligible to compete later on in match play for the title.

Aronimink was nixed out in the matter of strokes by Huntingdon Valley, the present champions. Huntingdon Valley, it might be added, has been champion with distressing regularity to the other club with few breaks ever since the title has been on file. The golfers from Noble did not break their necks yesterday to get the medal, seeming satisfied to shoot in the neighborhood of 85 and qualify.

Aronimink, which failed to qualify last year, was "out for blood" this year and sent 20 men into the fray in its efforts to place. The team was led by Walter H. Reynolds, one of the best golfers in the city. Reynolds had paroled of hard luck both in the morning and afternoon, but came within a stroke of winning the medal nevertheless. Spencer D. Wright, Jr., was needed for low score in the morning round, but needed 11 more in the afternoon for a 93.

The Philadelphia Cricket Club led the others home, seven of her team breaking 170 over the home course. Such an expert as George A. Crump just managed to squeak into the points with his 169. Merion had no trouble about sliding into second place, the Main Liners being the other team to qualify.

The Philadelphia Cricket Club was unable to put all its stars in the field and as a result was beaten rather badly for a place by a total of 38 strokes. The team made a frantic and game effort to get in the running, when the disastrous morning round was cut down by 35 strokes.

The qualifying round was one of the most interesting in years, and enthusiasm is now at high pitch in expectation of close match play in July for the cup. The odds favor Huntingdon Valley and the Country Club for the finals. If the latter team maintains its speed of yesterday it will have a good chance to worst the present champions. The match will be played at Bala.

Southern Association Atlanta, 6; Nashville, 0. Second game: Nashville, 1; Atlanta, 0. Birmingham, 5; Chattanooga, 8. New Orleans, 8; Memphis, 2. Mobile, 8; Little Rock, 2.

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